

Regular Session, 2010

SENATE BILL NO. 563

BY SENATOR CHEEK

NURSING HOMES. Makes changes to the nursing home reimbursement methodology.  
(8/15/10)

AN ACT

To enact R.S. 46:2742(D), relative to the nursing home reimbursement methodology; to provide for certain monies collected by the Department of Health and Hospitals to be deposited into the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly; and to provide for related matters.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

Section 1. R.S. 46:2742(D) is hereby enacted to read as follows:

§2742. Case mix reimbursement

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**D. The state portion of the amounts collected by the Department of Health and Hospitals pertaining to the difference between the direct care spending floor, as defined in Paragraph (B)(2) of this Section, and the actual amounts expended by the nursing homes on direct care and care related costs, as determined by the Department of Health and Hospitals, shall be deposited into the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly.**

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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Greg Waddell.

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DIGEST

Proposed law provides that the state portion of the amounts collected by DHH pertaining to the difference between the direct care spending floor, as defined in present law, and the actual amounts expended by the nursing homes on direct care and care related costs, as determined by DHH, shall be deposited into the Medicaid Trust Fund for the Elderly.

Effective August 15, 2010.

(Adds R.S. 46:2742(D))